Comment Summary for DSU Pedestrian Improvements Public Workshop November 15, 2012 – 4 – 7 pm

A public workshop was held on November 15, 2012 at Delaware State University (DSU). A survey and display board were used to illustrate various possible improvements and public comment was solicited. The Delaware Department of Transportation (DelDOT) is now at the point where we are making final recommendations to DSU, as they are eager to get funding for implementation. It should be noted that there are budget concerns associated with the project and that these are preliminary estimates only.

Attached is the summary outcomes of the public meeting and the Plan's Improvement Strategy. With funding being an issue, DelDOT will work with DSU to make small more beneficial improvements in the future (versus larger more costly ones) all in an effort to reduce pedestrian conflicts. The bridge option is very costly and only provides benefits to a limited number of pedestrians, but it is very attractive to DSU.

DSU is in agreement with this approach and DelDOT believes they will ultimately request funding for the smaller initial projects. DSU will also be working with Kent County officials to obtain funding for such improvements.

See attached DSU Pedestrian Study / Corridor Improvement Strategy for further information on recommendations.

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